

# Accordion

crafty card

## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Time to Complete: Approximately 1 hour    Level: Medium

### GETTING STARTED

#### Materials:

- Scissors or X-ACTO knife
- Metal-edged ruler
- Butter knife
- Cutting mat (optional)
- Multipurpose glue
- Ribbon (optional)

- 1** Be sure to follow the printing instructions for double-sided printing when you download your card artwork. Score: Using a metal ruler as a guide, run the back side of a butter knife along all of the dashed lines.



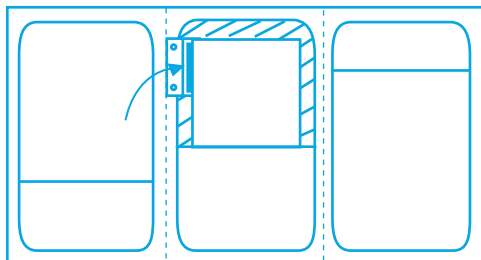
- 2** Using scissors or an X-ACTO knife and cutting mat, cut out pieces on solid lines.



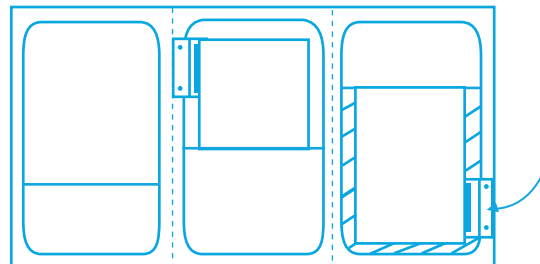
### ASSEMBLE YOUR ACCORDION CARD

- 3** Craft card by following these steps (see examples on next page):

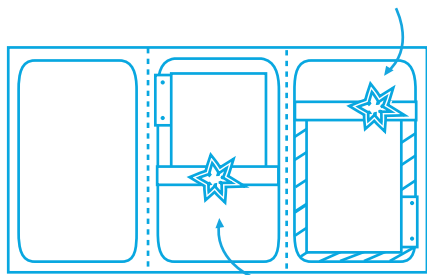
- a** Glue a decorative tag to the back of a 2" x 2" photo. Glue to pink area of middle panel, aligning with the bottom edge of pink area



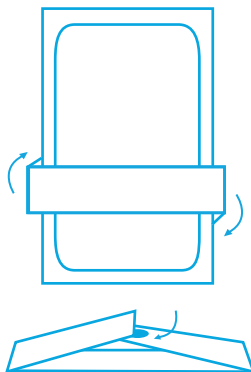
- b** Glue a decorative tag to the back of a 2" x 2.5" photo. Glue to gold area of left panel, aligning with the top edge of the gold area.



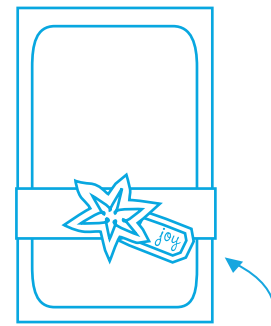
- c** Cut hound's-tooth border in middle, and glue on top of photos. Add poinsettia embellishments.

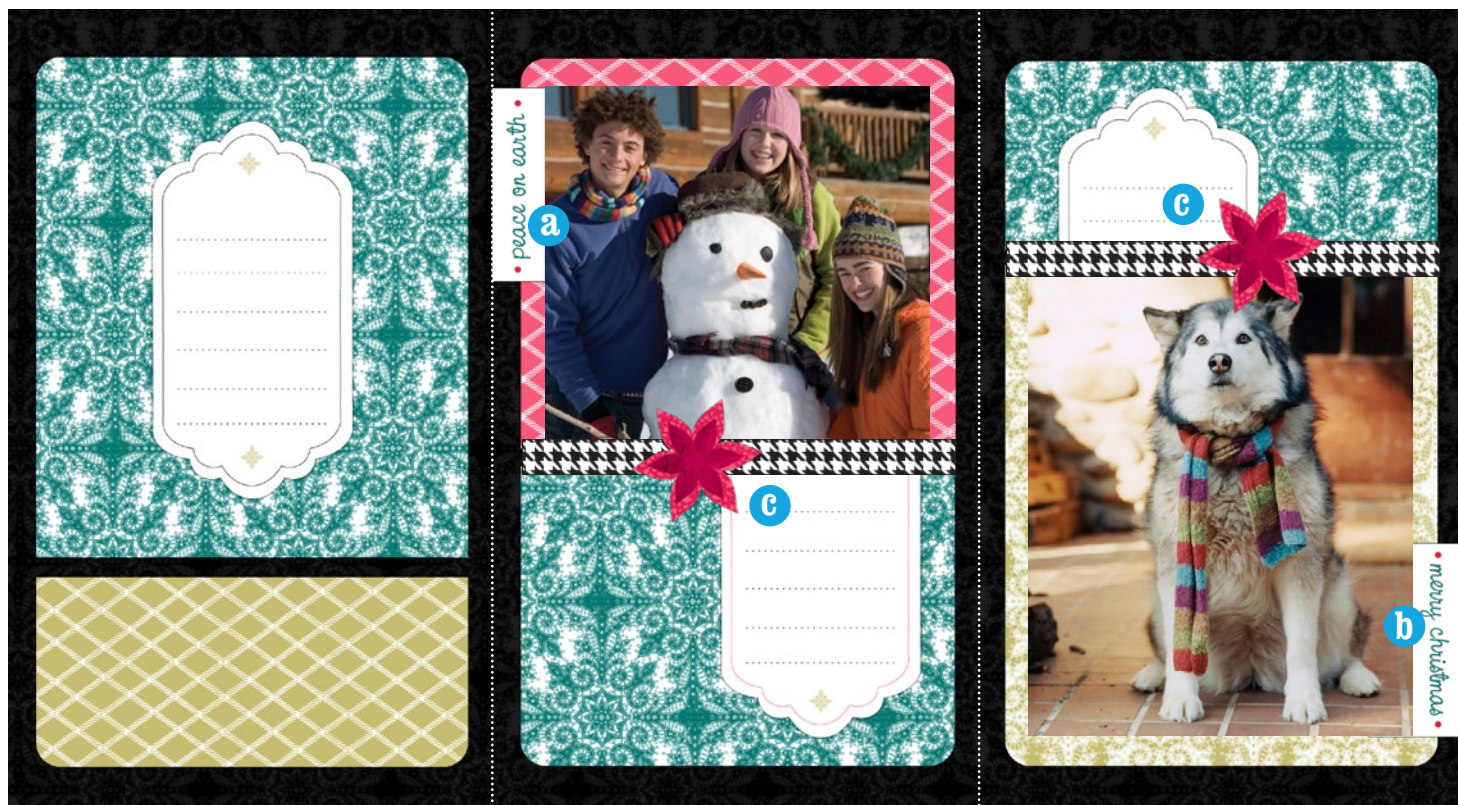


- d** Wrap hound's-tooth strip around card, and glue ends together to create sleeve.



- e** Glue the dark poinsettia to the front of the sleeve. Add the "joy" tag and light poinsettia embellishments.





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### TIPS:



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- Round corners or just one corner using a corner rounder.



- Glue a real button in place of the paper button on the light poinsettia.



- Instead of crafting the sleeve, use a ribbon to hold the card.